



## DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND CONSUMER FINANCE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

In the matter of:

Lee Howell d/b/a Howell's Gun Repair 1308 Old Kosciusko Road Philadelphia, Mississippi 39350 ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST

## ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND CONSUMER FINANCE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

THIS DAY this cause came on for consideration by the Commissioner of Banking and Consumer Finance, and the Commissioner having considered the evidence presented, and being fully informed and advised in the premises, finds as follows:

- 1. The Commissioner has jurisdiction over the Respondent and the subject matter pursuant to Section 75-67-301et seq., of the Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated, same being the "Mississippi Pawnshop Act".
- 2. Section 75-67-333(4) of the Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated, authorizes the Commissioner of the Department of Banking and Consumer Finance to enter an Order requiring persons in violation of the provisions of Section 75-67-301 et seq., of the Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated, to stop or refrain from violations of the aforesaid Act.
- 3. This Order is based upon the facts and information received by the Commissioner from Director, Taft Webb of the Department of Banking and Consumer

Finance that Howell's Gun Repair is conducting pawn transactions without a valid license authorizing such activity.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the above named Licensee immediately cease and desist from engaging in any pawn transactions until this order is released by the Commissioner.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that nothing contained in this Order shall prohibit the Commissioner of Banking and Consumer Finance or any other appropriate person or law enforcement authorities from initiating and pursuing any other civil or criminal violations, penalties and remedies against the above name Licensee, as provided by law.

SO ORDERED, this the 11th day of March, 2011

Department of Banking and Consumer Finance John S. Allison, Commissioner

BY: Brandon Blair

TITLE: Examiner

## PROOF OF SERVICE

I personally delivered a true copy of the Order of the Commissioner of Banking and Consumer Finance on the  $11^{\rm th}$  day of March, 2011,

To: Lee Howell d/b/a

Howell's Gun Repair

1308 Old Kosciusko Road
Philadelphia, MS 39350



Title: Examiner

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the attached Order on this the  $11^{\rm th}$  day of March, 2011.

Respondent: